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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We support maintaining an affordable broadband for companies like Sonic, our provider. Prior to Sonic, we enjoyed another small and competitive company called Batnet. We rely on the attentive customer service and affordability to provide us with the service that suits our family.

Please don't remove the small business incentive by raising prices that only the massive corporations can afford. So many people--especially families with lower incomes in our high-priced community-will feel the already high cost of communications.

regards, Star Teachout Palo Alto, CA

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